

28 May 1951

Major General James P. Hodges  
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New York

My dear General Hodges:

It has been suggested that I reply directly and thus speed this reply to your letter of 18 May to the Director of Central Intelligence.

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We shall be delighted to make [redacted] available to you as you have requested for presentations on the National Intelligence Structure and the Intelligence Cycle as part of your refresher course for senior reservists on June 14th and 28th. Having heard from [redacted] of your plans for recruiting an ambitious panel of experts in the curriculum, we are especially pleased that you have not overlooked the activity in which we are engaged. Certainly, if officers would understand the rudiments of military and foreign policy-making, it is equally essential they know of the laborious processes that go into the compilation and evaluation of the intelligence at root in those policies.

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I have asked [redacted] to get in touch directly with your office to work out all necessary details.

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Very sincerely yours,

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